

# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

**Kingstree Senior High School** 

Williamsburg

Grades: 9-12 Enrollment: 712

Principal: Mr. Willie Frazier

Superintendent: Yvonne Jefferson-Barnes, Ed.D.

Board Chair: Mrs. Barbara McKenzie

## **PERFORMANCE**

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD A	ND SILVER AWARD	ESEA/FEDERAL A	ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2012	Below Average	Average	TBD	TBD	F	Priority
2011	Below Average	Below Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	R-AYP
2010	At-Risk	Excellent	N/A	N/A	Not Met	R-AYP

### **ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\***

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
4	2	12	4	11

<sup>\*</sup> Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

# HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours		
	2011	2012	2011	2012	
Passed 2 subtests (%)	54.4%	66.4%	55.8%	63.1%	
Passed 1 subtest (%)	26.9%	16.4%	23.1%	19.9%	
Passed no subtests (%)	18.7%	17.1%	23.6%	21.5%	

#### HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2012

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	79.4%	76.6%

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE						
	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours				
Number of students	171	101				
Number of Diplomas	120	67				
Rate (%)	70.2%	58.8%				

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2012							
% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours					
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	58.4	54.8					
English 1	36.2	48.6					
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	50.9	53.4					
US History and the Constitution	14.3	24.7					
All Tests	41.0	44.4					

#### **NAEP PERFORMANCE\***

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.

READING – GRADE 8 (2011)								
South Carolina	28	45	25 2					
Nation	25	43	29 3					
	% Below Basic	% Basic, Proficient, a	nd Advanced					
■ Below Basic □ Basi	ic Proficient	Advanced						

MATH – GRADE 8 (2011)								
South Carolina		30	38	25	7			
Nation		28	39	26	8			
	%	Below Basic	% Basic, Proficie	nt, and Advanc	ed			
Below Basic	☐ Basic	Proficient	■ Advanced					

SCIENCE – GRADE 8 (2009)								
South Carolina		45	32	22	1			
Nation		38	33	28	1			
■ Below Basic [	Basic	% Below Basic	% Basic, Profici  ■ Advanced	ent, and Ad	vanced			

#### **SC PERFORMANCE VISION**

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

# Kingstree Senior High School [Williamsburg] SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n=712)				
Retention rate	2.5%	Down from 3.3%	3.5%	3.0%
Attendance rate	95.1%	Down from 95.4%	94.1%	95.3%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	7.2%	Up from 0.9%	2.3%	0.9%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	0.0%	No Change	3.9%	13.4%
Successful on AP/IB exams	N/A	N/A	17.0%	50.9%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	26.8%	Down from 59.6%	25.9%	30.1%
Annual dropout rate	1.1%	Up from 0.9%	1.8%	2.3%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	9.4%	Up from 7.4%	2.8%	2.7%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	504	Down from 561	160	395
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	77.8%	Up from 77.2%	81.2%	84.0%
Teachers (n=33)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	66.7%	Up from 60.0%	59.3%	63.2%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	71.5%	Up from 68.4%	80.4%	86.6%
Teacher attendance rate	95.1%	Up from 93.8%	96.1%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$40,184	Down 4.3%	\$43,655	\$47,326
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	30.0%	Up from 20.3%	5.7%	3.6%
Professional development days/teacher	7.7 days	Down from 11.7 days	8.9 days	9.7 days
School				
Principal's years at school	3.0	Up from 2.0	2.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	N/R	N/R	19.0 to 1	27.1 to 1
Prime instructional time	89.5%	Up from 88.0%	89.5%	89.4%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,118	Up 0.1%	\$10,444	\$7,761
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	49.9%	Down from 56.9%	53.0%	57.1%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	54.2%	Down from 61.4%	57.4%	59.6%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	35.0%	Down from 63.7%	96.6%	97.8%
Character development program	Average	No Change	Good	Good
ESEA composite index score	25.5	N/A	52.1	78.2
* Longth of contrast = 10E / days		•	•	

<sup>\*</sup> Length of contract = 185+ days.

#### **EVALUATION RESULTS**

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	19	0	0
Percent satisfied with learning environment	52.6%	N/R	N/R
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	68.4%	N/R	N/R
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	47.4%	N/R	N/R

<sup>\*</sup>Only eleventh grade students and their parents were included. For schools without grade eleven, only the highest grade was included

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## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Kingstree Senior High School is located in the small rural town of Kingstree, South Carolina. The mission of Kingstree Senior High School and its stakeholders is to provide every student with a challenging curriculum; highly qualified teachers, and a safe, healthy learning environment with which to maximize their growth and development toward productive citizenship in global

Kingstree Senior High School made significant progress during the 2011 - 2012 school year towards achieving all student achievement and climate goals set. Kingstree Senior High School improved its absolute rating from atrisk to below average, but our growth rating declined from an excellent rating to below average rating. Our preliminary data indicate that Kingstree Senior High School will achieve an average absolute rating and a good growth rating. Our Parent-Teacher-Student Association flourished this school year, as well as our School Improvement Council (SIC). We can attribute our success to both PTSA and SIC for our improvement. We currently offer twelve career clusters and twenty-six majors within those career clusters that help students focus on their achievement. We foster parent and community support to meet our continuous school improvement efforts.

Kingstree Senior High School is a comprehensive high school that continues to improve student achievement by being a member of High School That Works and providing our students shadowing and transiting opportunities, an after school program, Saturday school, credit recovery, Re-Do policy and the Power of "I" to provide students the opportunity to be successful and graduate on time..

Our challenges again this year were full parental and community involvement. The establishment of a fully operational PTSA and SIC should get more parents and community stakeholders involved.

Kingstree Senior High School has a committed staff that works diligently to meet the needs of our students. We acknowledge and thank our students who were motivated to learn and achieve in the efforts to improve our school. We are grateful to the parents and community leaders who showed their continue support of KSHS.

Dr. Fred P. Moore, Jr., Principal Ms. Norma Cyrus, School Improvement Chair

<sup>\*\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data available